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**Seventy-first session**  
Agenda item 115 (b)**Appointments to fill vacancies in subsidiary organs and  
other appointments: appointment of members of the  
Committee on Contributions****Report of the Fifth Committee***Rapporteur:* Ms. Diana Minyi Lee (Singapore)

1. At its 18th meeting, on 7 December 2016, the Fifth Committee considered a note by the Secretary-General (A/71/102/Rev.1/Add.1) concerning a vacancy in the membership of the Committee on Contributions. By that note, the Committee was informed of the nomination by the Government of Gabon and the endorsement by the Group of African States of Baudelaire Ndong Ella (Gabon) to fill the remaining vacancy in the Committee on Contributions.

2. At the same meeting, the Committee decided, by acclamation, to recommend to the General Assembly that it appoint Mr. Ndong Ella as a member of the Committee on Contributions for a three-year term of office beginning on 1 January 2017 (see para. 3).

**Recommendation of the Fifth Committee**

3. The Fifth Committee recommends that the General Assembly appoint Baudelaire Ndong Ella (Gabon) as a member of the Committee on Contributions for a three-year term of office beginning on 1 January 2017.

